## 106TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## H. R. 3409

To provide that employees of employers who provide certain increases in health insurance coverage will not be covered by an increase in the Federal minimum wage.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 16, 1999

Mr. Sessions introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

## A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. MINIMUM WAGE INCREASE AND INCREASE IN
- 4 HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE.
- 5 If there is an increase in the minimum wage under
- 6 section 6(a)(1) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938
- 7 (29 U.S.C. 206(a)(1)), such increase shall not apply to
- 8 the minimum wage of an employee of an employer who,
- 9 during the period in which the increase is to take effect,

- 1 increases the employer's contribution to the cost of health
- 2 insurance coverage for such employee in an amount equal
- 3 to such increase if such employer had provided health in-
- 4 surance coverage for such employee before the date of

5 such increase.

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